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Michelle..... I could use your help with follow up on this matter.... see my email below to Mr. Smalley.... we are under the gun down here to see if we can help get the Army Corps the needed information in a timely manner each day.

Thanks for any help you can provide!

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Bryant.... USACE is leaning on us (me and Greg) to get this "OW Management Report" to them by 1800 each day..... is this something you (or someone in the REOC) can take care of each day... I think it's a relatively simple request but, I'm not quite sure how to make it happen..... can you help?

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Good morning Mr Smalley,

Cory Koger and I have been deployed to the TX JFO in support of Hurricane Harvey response activities. We've been mission assigned to assist with reporting w/ww operational status and assessment activities up through ESF#3. FEMA is looking to USACE HQ for this information. Therefore I respectfully request a courtesy copy of sitreps/statreps/reports that are being generated which contain w/ww related information. I understand EPA Reg 6 is currently augmenting TCEQ efforts and call-outs/assessments are underway utilizing the Natural Disaster Working Group and that great headway is being made. Our goal is to ensure progress is reported up through ESF#3 per the attached field guide, specifically section 8.5. We received a copy of the OW Management Report for Hurricane Harvey and believe that would satisfy reporting requirements at this time. Periodically we do get requests for information regarding specific facilities deemed critical (e.g. NE Houston Water Purification Plant, City of Beaumont Water Treatment Plant) and would appreciate any updates on critical facilities as they become available; this will ensure consistent messaging across the response community.

Additionally, USACE has been tasked by FEMA to deploy individuals to attach to FEMA IMAT East-1 and FEMA IMAT in Branch 3 to work together to get an understanding of any water/wastewater infrastructure assistance needs in Harris County/Houston and Corpus Christi. Frank Appelfeller will be reporting to Patrick Duncan, Chief, FEMA Infrastructure Branch today when he arrives in Houston and Bryon Lake will be reporting to Ron Pevan today as well. Any assistance getting them linked up with EPA/TCEQ activities in the Houston area would be greatly appreciated.

I can be reached at 415.286.6088 if you would like to further discuss.

Thank you,  
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